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**Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

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**Friday, March 4, 2022 Seminar Topic:**

**“Privacy Preserving Analytics to Enable Intrusion Detection Data Sharing”** by Md. Ali Reza Al Amin, PhD student in the Computational Modeling and Simulation Engineering Department at Old Dominion University

**Abstract:**

Supervised learning is effectively adopted in Network Intrusion Detection Systems (IDS) to detect malicious activities in Information Technology (IT) and Operation Technology (OT). Sharing high-quality network data among cyber-security practitioners increases the chance to detect new threat campaigns by analyzing updated traffic features. As data sharing brings privacy concerns, Differential-Privacy (DP) has emerged as a promising approach to perform privacy-preserving analytics. This research develops a framework to generate high-quality synthetic network features using differentially private Generative Adversarial Network (DP-GAN). A well-known intrusion detection dataset, NSL-KDD, is used to conduct the experiments. To date, NSL-KDD has still been considered an intrusion detection benchmark because of its diverse attacks groups. The experiment records the classification performance of several machine learning (ML) models on a privacy-preserved synthetic dataset derived from the NSL-KDD intrusion dataset.



**Bio:**

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